

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS

JENNIFER LYONS,

Plaintiff,

v.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD and  
NATIONAL RAILROAD PASSENGER  
CORP.,

Defendants.

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Case No. 3:10-cv-009 JPG-DGW

**ORDER REGARDING DISCOVERY**

In the interest of reducing delay and expense, it is **ORDERED** that discovery disputes that cannot be resolved through informal means pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 37 shall be handled in the following manner:

The party with the discovery dispute shall contact Holly Stone, Law Clerk to Judge Wilkerson, at (618) 482-9382, to schedule a telephonic conference call with the Court and opposing counsel. If the dispute involves written discovery, the disputed portion(s) shall be submitted to the Court by e-mail (holly\_stone@ilsd.uscourts.gov) or faxed to the Court (if less than twenty pages) at (618) 482-9277, prior to the telephonic conference. The party with the discovery dispute shall be responsible for initiating the conference call. The Court's teleconference number is (618) 482-9004. Written motions to compel or legal memoranda will not be accepted unless specifically requested by the Court. Expense of the call will be borne by the non-prevailing party. The parties are directed to this court's webpage, <http://www.ilsd.uscourts.gov/Judges/wilkersonpretrial.html>, for additional information and specific procedures regarding discovery disputes. **Consult this Court's webpage BEFORE contacting chambers with questions.**

**DATED: February 26, 2010**

*s/ Donald G. Wilkerson*  
**DONALD G. WILKERSON**  
United States Magistrate Judge